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Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—May I call the attention of the Hon'ble Minister to page 10? The District Board, Bellary, is spending twice the amount given by Government; similarly the Municipal Council, Hospet. May I know how soon the Government will be able to take over the primary education of this district to their hands?

Sri J. H. SHAMSUDDIN.—The question has two aspects; one is, with regard to the amount of expenditure. I think the impression that columns 5 and 6 in the statement give is not correct; because more information is not available. From this it cannot be inferred that the total amount shown here is spent either by the District Board, Bellary, or Municipal Council, Hospet.

So far as the other aspect namely uniform policy, is concerned, I have already answered this point.

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Sri J. H. SHAMSUDDIN.—By District Board I meant to include other local bodies like the Municipality also.

Sri B. L. NARAYANASWAMY.—Why did not Government attempt to unify these several laws?

Sri J. H. SHAMSUDDIN.—Government has attempted. The attempt is not yet complete.

Sri B. L. NARAYANASWAMY.—How long would the process take?

Sri J. H. SHAMSUDDIN.—As soon as possible.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—I would like to know what the Deputy Minister means by saying that the attempt is not yet completed. When does it begin and when does it conclude?

Mr. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—It is still in progress.

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—The Hospet Municipality became part of Mysore State on 1st October 1953. Will the Government be able to take over elementary education by 1963, 1st October?

Sri J. H. SHAMSUDDIN.—It is difficult for me to answer.

Construction of First Floor to the Adikarnataka Hostel, Chamarajanagar.

*Q.—351. Sri B. RACHIAH (Chamarajanagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether the former Chief Minister and the present Minister for Social Welfare visited the Adikarnataka Hostel, Chamarajanagar, on 6th November 1957;

(*b*) whether they have given an assurance to add a first floor to the existing building;

(*c*) whether it is not a fact that the Government have informed the President of the hostel that necessary provision has been made for construction of the first floor;

(*d*) if so, whether it has been sanctioned?

A.—Sri N. RACHIAH (Minister for Social Welfare, Excise and Prohibition).—

(*a*) & (*b*) Yes. They had promised to look into the matter.

(*c*) No.

(*d*) The construction of the first floor has been sanctioned by Government.

Sri B. RACHIAH.—What is the cost of the estimate?

Sri N. RACHIAH.—It is Rs. 62,000.

Sri B. RACHIAH.—May I know if both administrative and technical sanction have been given?

Sri N. RACHIAH.—Government have already given administrative sanction, but technical sanction has not yet been given.

Sri B. RACHIAH.—Can I expect work to be commenced at least this year?

Sri N. RACHIAH.—Government have already given Rs. 25,000 during last year but we are not aware whether this amount has been spent. It will be examined.

Sri C. K. RAJAIAH SETTY.—What is the strength of the hostel? Is not the present building sufficient to accommodate all the students?

Sri N. RACHIAH.—I do not know whether the Hon'ble Member is aware that in Chamarajnagar and Heggadadevenakote taluks, there are a larger number of school-going children among Harijans and even if we build another floor, there will be a sufficient number forthcoming.

Short Term and Medium Term Loans advanced by the District Central Co-operative Bank, Bangalore.

*Q.—410. Sri K. V. BYRE GOWDA (Bangalore North).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the amount given from the District Central Co-operative Bank Ltd., Bangalore, through Primary Societies as short term loan and as medium term loan (Societywar information may be furnished);

(*b*) the number of applications pending before the District Central Co-operative Bank from each Society for Short term and Medium term loans;

(*c*) what arrangement the District Central Co-operative Bank has made to meet the demand of the Primary Societies, regarding Medium term and Short term loans?

*A.—Sri MALI MARIAPPA (Minister for Co-operation).—

(*a*) *Vide* Statement I. (§Copy placed on the Table of the House).

(*b*) *Vide* Statement II. (§Copy placed on the Table of the House).

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(*c*) The District Bank has been able to meet the demands of Primary Societies with regard to Short Term loans to the extent applied for by them As regards Medium Term loans the Reserve Bank would permit the District Bank to disburse loans to the extent of their owned capital. The demand for Medimum Term loans from Primaries in Bangalore District is far in excess of the owned capital of the District Bank. Unless the Share capital of District Bank is further strengthened the Reserve Bank does not agree for further release of Medium Term loans from District Bank, Bangalore. However the Reserve Bank on the representation of District Bank has agreed to allot a further sum of Rs. 1½ lakhs for issue of Medium Term loans subject to the condition that 50 per cent of this amount is met by District Bank.

Loans Advanced by the District Co-operative Bank, Bangalore.

*Q.—586. Sri S. R. RAMAIAH (Hoskote).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the amount given to the ryots through the District Co-operative Bank, Bangalore, in each taluk as short term, medium term and long term loans since its inception;

(*b*) the purposes for which money is advanced for short, medium and long term loans?

*A.—Sri MALI MARIAPPA (Minister for Co-operation).—

(*a*) *Vide* Statement (Copy placed on the Table of the House).

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Long term loans are not advanced by District Central Co-operative Banks.

(*b*)—

Short term loans:

The short term loans are issued to ryots for seasonal agricultural operations, *i.e.*, purchase of manures, seeds, weeding, harvesting, etc.

Medium term loans:

The medium term loans are issued for the following purposes:—

1 Sinking of wells and maintenance of irrigation sources.

2 Purchase of irrigation pumpsets.